GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

A B S T R A C T

Public Services - Agriculture & Cooperation Department - Disciplinary Matters - Sri G. Kennedy, the then Asst. Director of Agriculture (STL) (I/c.), Gollapudi, NTR District and presently working as Asst. Director of Agriculture(R) Tiruvuru, NTR District – Misappropriation of Government funds to a tune of Rs.6,46,000/-, deviating certain Articles of A.P. Financial Code - Prima facie established - Disciplinary action initiated under A.P. Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 – Articles of Charge issued – Written Statement of Defense (WSD) submitted – Inquiring Authority appointed - Appointment of Presenting Officer under rule 20(5)(c) of the AP CS (CC&A) Rules,1991 – Orders - Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND CO-OPERATION (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 363 **Dated: 30-05-2025**

Read the following:

1. From the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur, Lr.No.Vig.I(I) AGC02-32026(32)/4/2023, dt.28.08.2023.
2. Govt.Memo.No.AGC01-AGRI/331/2023, A & C (Vig.I) Dept., dt.13.09.2023.
3. From the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur, Lr.No.Vig.I(I) AGC02-32026(32)/4/2023, dt.22.04.2024.
4. Govt. Memo.No.AGC01-AGRI/331/2023 –Vig.I, A & C (Vig.I) Dept., dt.10.08.2024.
5. From the Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur, Lr.No.Vig.I(I)AGC02-32026(32)/4/2023, dt.13.09.2024.
6. G.O.Rt.No.607, A&C(Vig.I) Dept., dt.03.10.2024.
7. From the Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur, Lr.No.Vig.I(I) AGC01-32026(32)/4/2023, dt.10.12.2024.
8. Govt. Memo. No. AGC01-AGRI/331/2023, A & C (Vig.I) Dept., dt.10.01.2025.
9. From the Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur, Lr.No.Vig.I(I) AGC01-32026(32)/4/2023, dt.21.04.2025.
10. G.O.Rt.No.362 A & C (Vig.I) Dept., dt.30.05.2025.

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O R D E R:

Whereas, an inquiry under Rule 20 of the A.P.Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 is being held against Sri G.Kennedy, the then Asst. Director of Agriculture (STL) (I/c.), Gollapudi, NTR District and presently working as Asst. Director of Agriculture (R) Tiruvuru, NTR District, for failure in discharging their official duties leading to 'misconduct' under A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

2. And whereas, in the reference 10th read above, the Government have appointed Smt. M.Vijaya Bharathi, Joint Director of Agriculture (SC), O/o Director of Agriculture, AP, Guntur as the Inquiring Authority, to inquire into the Articles of Charge against Sri G.Kennedy, the then Asst. Director of Agriculture (STL) (I/c.), Gollapudi, NTR District and presently working as Asst. Director of Agriculture (R) Tiruvuru, NTR District.

3. And whereas, it is considered necessary that a Presenting Officer should be appointed to present the case on behalf of the disciplinary authority (Government) in support of the Articles of Charge issued against Sri G.Kennedy, the then Asst. Director of Agriculture (STL) (I/c.), Gollapudi, NTR District and presently working as Asst. Director of Agriculture(R) Tiruvuru, NTR District.

(P.T.O.)

4. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Rule (5)(c) of Rule 20 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, the Government, hereby, appoint Smt.D.M.F.Vijaya Kumari, DDA/DPM, NTR District as the Presenting Officer, to present the case before the Inquiry Authority.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)
B. RAJSEKHAR
EX-OFFICIO SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To:
Smt.D.M.F.Vijaya Kumari, DDA/DPM, NTR District
(through the Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur)

Copy to :
The Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur.
Smt. M.Vijaya Bharathi, Joint Director of Agriculture (SC), O/o Director of Agriculture, AP, Guntur & the Inquiring Authority.
(through the Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur)
Sri G.Kennedy, the then Asst. Director of Agriculture (STL) (I/c.), Gollapudi, NTR District and presently working as Asst. Director of Agriculture(R) Tiruvuru, NTR District.
(through the Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur)
Sf/Sc.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER